

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES FROM PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

The professional organizations listed below offer training opportunities appropriate for appraisers. If you find a class, course, seminar, or workshop that will meet your training needs, check to see if it is already on our list of previously approved courses, at www.boe.ca.gov/proptaxes/pdf/prevappcourses.pdf. If not, training coordinators may submit it to us for consideration, using a BOE-745-A, *Request for Course Approval*.

American Society of Appraisers [ASA]	<p>A multi-discipline association, with specialties in Appraisal Review & Management, Business Valuation, Gems & Jewelry, Machinery & Technical Specialties, Personal Property, and Real Property.</p> <p>The Association of Government Appraisers [AGA], formerly known as the Society of Governmental Appraisers [SGA] merged into ASA in 1985 • the National Society of Fee Appraisers [NSFA] merged into ASA in 1992.</p> <p>California chapters in the Central Valley, www.appraisers-norcal.com, Los Angeles, www.socalappraisers.org, San Bernardino Riverside, http://old.appraisers.org/san_bernardino, San Diego, www.sandiegoappraisers.org, and San Francisco (including Sacramento and San Jose branches), www.appraisers-norcal.com</p>	<p>Training: http://old.appraisers.org/education</p> <p>Schedule: http://old.appraisers.org/courses/index.cfm?fuseaction=get_adv&id=r</p>
American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers [ASFMRA]	<p>Specialty is agricultural appraising and farm managing.</p> <p>California chapter has it's own Web site, www.calasfmra.com</p>	<p>Training: www.asfmra.org/education/index.cfm?fuseaction=get_coursesbydisc&id=a</p> <p>Schedule: www.asfmra.org/education/schedule</p>
Appraisal Institute	<p>Successor to American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers [AIREA] and Society of Real Estate Appraisers [SREA].</p> <p>California chapters: Central California (Kern & San Luis Obispo Counties), Northern California (Alameda, Calaveras, Contra Costa, Fresno, Inyo, Kings, Lake, Madera, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Mono, Monterey, Napa, San Benito, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Tulare, & Tuolumne Counties), www.norcal-ai.org, Sacramento Sierra (Alpine, Amador, Butte, Colusa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Yolo, & Yuba Counties), www.sac-ai.org, San Diego (Imperial & San Diego Counties), www.sdcai.org, and Southern California (Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, & Ventura Counties), www.sccai.org</p>	<p>Education: www.appraisalinstitute.org/education</p>

International Association of Assessing Officers [IAAO]	<p>The organization's focus is property appraisal, assessment administration, & property tax assessment policy.</p> <p>The only active California chapter is in Los Angeles, www.iaaola.org</p>	<p>Training: www.iaao.org/education/index.cfm</p> <p>Schedule: www.iaao.org/uploads/Updated_education_calendar.pdf</p>
International Right of Way Association [IRWA]	<p>Membership includes appraisers & right-of-way agents for public agencies.</p> <p>California chapters are in Fresno, Los Angeles Bakersfield, www.irwa-chapter1.org, Orange County, www.irwa67.org, Sacramento, www.irwachapter27.org, San Bernardino Riverside, www.irwachapter57.org, San Diego, www.irwa11.com, San Francisco Santa Rosa, San Jose, & Santa Barbara Ventura.</p>	<p>Training: www.irwaonline.org/EWEB/dynamicpage.aspx?Webcode=CourseDesc</p> <p>Schedule: www.irwaonline.org/EWEB/dynamicpage.aspx?webcode=CSCEventsSearch</p>
National Association of Independent Fee Appraisers [NAIFA]	<p>Has Central Coast, Northern California, and a Southern California chapters, & a California Web site, www.naifaca.org</p>	<p>Training: www.naifa.com/education/descriptions.cfm</p> <p>Schedule: www.naifa.com/calendar</p>
National Association of Master Appraisers	<p>Affiliated with Lincoln Graduate Center, www.lincoln-grad.org, whose manufactured housing appraisal course uses NADA's Manufactured Housing National Appraisal System (NAS) & their manufactured housing costs.</p>	<p>www.masterappraisers.org</p> <p>see also: www.lincoln-grad.org</p>
Real Estate Appraiser's Association	<p>Northern California organization of appraiser, with three chapters: East Bay, www.reaaca.org/eb, North Bay, www.reaaca.org/nb, and Sacramento, www.reaaca.org/sac</p>	<p>http://www.reaaca.org</p>